

# WELCOME BACK THE CRANES

Pixley National Wildlife Refuge  
Saturday, November 13, 2010  
3:30p.m-7:00p.m

Fall has arrived and the Sandhill Crane have started their annual migration south to the Pixley National Wildlife Refuge. The staff of Kern and Pixley National Wildlife Refuges would like you to come and join us, Saturday, November 13, 2010, from 3:30p.m-7:00p.m. at the Pixley NWR. Participants are invited to meet with Refuge staff at the Pixley parking lot at 3:30 p.m. for an opportunity to socialize, enjoy the light refreshments that will be provided, and to learn more about current and upcoming undertakings at both refuges. We will then walk to the observation platform to watch the nightly Sandhill Crane fly-in from all directions onto the refuge where they will roost for the evening. Refuge staff conducted two surveys this October and there are between 1900 and 3400 cranes! Please bring a flashlight, sturdy comfortable shoes, and layers, as it can be cloudy and cool at this time of year. For more information, please contact the Refuge at 661-725-2767 for more information, directions to Pixley Refuge, and to R.S.V.P. Hope to see you there!

## PIXLEY NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE WETLANDS

